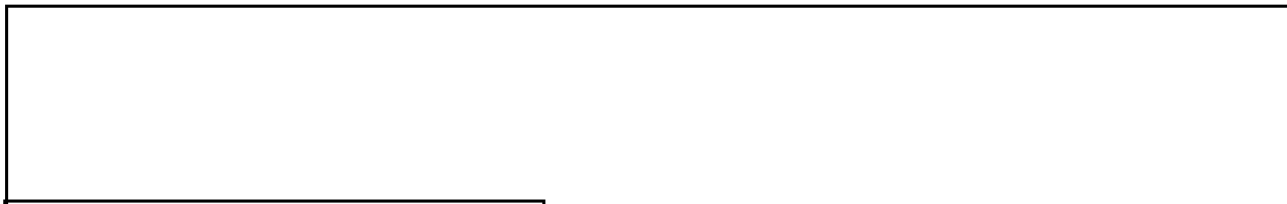


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[REDACTED] Assistant Secretary of State (Congressional Relations) Abshire's office explained that he had been completely preoccupied with a flap created by Representative McCloskey's allegation regarding the U.S. role in Laos and thus had been unable to make a date for tomorrow with Chairman Mahon or Chairman Ellender.

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13. [REDACTED] Called Mr. Ralph Burr, Legislative Reference Service, OMB, about the status of departmental reports on S. 596, the Case bill dealing with international agreements. He said that OMB had received reports from the National Security Council and State but not Defense and that the Administration would oppose the bill. In response to his inquiry, I told Mr. Burr that while we did not want to get out in front on the bill, we do have serious problems with State's suggestion that intelligence agreements might be made available to the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and we would prefer the more explicit objection to the bill which we understand will be in Defense's proposed report. Mr. Houston was advised.

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